

**77700—Continued.**

P. I. G. No. 16826. Tree 3, rows 146 to 148, old test orchard. *Taizanfukun* (mountain snowcap). Trees erect, about 15 feet high, with dark-brown bark; flowers semidouble to double, pink, about an inch in diameter, often borne near the ends of the branches. Pedicels and calyxes more or less hairy.

For previous introduction see No. 76080.

**77701 to 77707.**

From Jamaica Plain, Mass. Seeds and scions collected at the Arnold Arboretum by Paul Russell, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received November, 1928.

**77701 and 77702.** *DIPelta FLORIBUNDA* Maxim. Caprifoliaceae.

For previous introduction and description see No. 77675.

**77701.** Seeds.

**77702.** Arboretum No. 15414. Scions.

**77703.** *LIGUSTRUM ACUTISSIMUM* Koehne. Oleaceae. Privet.

Arboretum No. 14973-1. Seeds of a loose-growing much-branched shrub 10 feet or less high, with spreading and curving branches and very narrow sharp-pointed leaves about 2 inches long. The white flowers are borne in dense nodding panicles about an inch long. This privet is native to Japan and China.

For previous introduction see No. 72874.

**77704.** *MALUS THEIFERA* Rehder. Malaceae. Tea crab.

Arboretum No. 7241. Seeds of a spreading tree about 25 feet high, with smooth dark-gray bark. The fragrant white or pinkish flowers, about 2 inches across, are in clusters of three to seven, and the fruits, about half an inch in diameter, are greenish yellow with red cheeks. A floriferous and handsome crab apple.

For previous introduction see No. 61983.

**77705 and 77706.** *PRUNUS SERRULATA* Lindl. Amygdalaceae. Oriental cherry.

**77705.** Arboretum No. 20135. *Masuyama*. Scions of a small spreading tree with reddish brown bark. The young leaves, which appear before the flowers fall, are brownish green. The flowers, deep pink in the bud, are semidouble, light pink with deeper pink toward the margins, and open rather flat. Compared with *Horinji*, a closely related variety, the flowers are slightly less double and are flatter when fully opened.

For previous introduction see No. 77264.

**77706.** Arboretum No. 7608-C. *Miyako* (beauty or prosperity). Scions of a tree of upright habit; bark dark brown; young foliage light brown; buds deep pink, truncate; flowers semidouble, opening rather flat, up to about 2 inches in diameter, almost white in center, becoming pink toward the fimbriate petal tips and on back, in drooping clusters. A very attractive variety.

For previous introduction see No. 77265.

**77701 to 77707—Continued.**

**77707.** *PRUNUS SUBHIRTELLA* Miquel. Amygdalaceae. Higan cherry.

Arboretum No. 3674. Scions of the so-called typical form of the Higan cherry, which is not known in the wild state. It is a rather low, wide-spreading tree with smooth gray bark. In early spring, before the leaves appear, the tree is hidden in a dense mass of very light pink flowers, slightly larger than those of the other Higan cherries. The small black fruits follow early in the summer.

**77708.** *ANNONA SPINESCENS* Mart. Annonaceae.

From Manila, Philippine Islands. Seeds presented by P. J. Wester, Bureau of Agriculture. Received November 9, 1928.

A spiny Brazilian shrub up to 15 feet high, with small leathery leaves and orange-red, heart-shaped fruits 3 inches long which are edible but insipid. The Philippine name is alagadisso.

For previous introduction see No. 37911.

**77709.** *CHIONANTHUS RETUSA* Lindl. Oleaceae. Chinese fringetree.

From Rochester, N. Y. Cuttings collected at Highland Park by Paul Russell, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received November 14, 1928.

A beautiful deciduous, hardy, ornamental tree bearing, during the spring, a multitude of white, deliciously fragrant flowers, with very narrow petals, followed in the autumn by masses of blue berries resembling wild grapes. This variety is considered by some to be superior to the Virginia fringetree (*Chionanthus virginica*) because of the whiteness and fragrance of its flowers and its more graceful habit.

For previous introduction see No. 65766.

**77710 to 77816.** *SACCHARUM* spp. Poaceae.

From New Guinea. Cuttings collected by E. W. Brandes, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received October and November, 1928.

**77710 to 77781.** *SACCHARUM OFFICINARUM* L. Sugarcane.

**77710.** No. 14. *Geni kom.*

**77711.** No. 15. *Geni kom.*

**77712.** No. 16. *Badoa kom.*

**77713.** No. 17. *Memeki kom.*

**77714.** No. 18. *Laguani keboli.*

**77715.** No. 19. *Doraki kom.*

**77716.** No. 20. *Koloa kom.*

**77717.** No. 27. *Lepesti kom.*

**77718.** No. 28. *Kemari kom.*

**77719.** No. 29. *Goru kom.*

**77720.** No. 30. *Voluma kom.*

**77721.** No. 31. *Gojaji.*

**77722.** No. 32. *Paluma.*

**77723.** No. 33. *Karuma.*

**77724.** No. 34. *Kaki haji.*

**77725.** No. 35. *Magi.*

**77726.** No. 36. *Mumudi.*

**77727.** No. 37. *Jovi-uru.*